

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF NORTH CAROLINA  
WESTERN DIVISION

NO. 5:15-CR-152-FL

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA :  
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v. :  
:  
BRANDON CARDEZ :  
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ORDER OF FORFEITURE

WHEREAS, pursuant to the entry of a Memorandum of Plea Agreement entered into by the defendant on June 1, 2015, the following property is hereby forfeitable pursuant to 18 U.S.C. § 924(d)(1), made applicable to this proceeding by virtue of 28 U.S.C. § 2461(c), as a firearm and ammunition used in knowing violations of 18 U.S.C. §§ 922(g)(5) and 924(a)(2), to wit: (a) Smith and Wesson, Model Airweight, .38 caliber pistol, serial number KAJ4085, (b) two (2) rounds of Federal hollow point ammunition;

AND WHEREAS, by virtue of said Memorandum of Plea Agreement, the United States is now entitled to possession of said personal property, pursuant to Fed. R. Crim. P. 32.2(b)(3);

It is hereby ORDERED, ADJUDGED and DECREED:

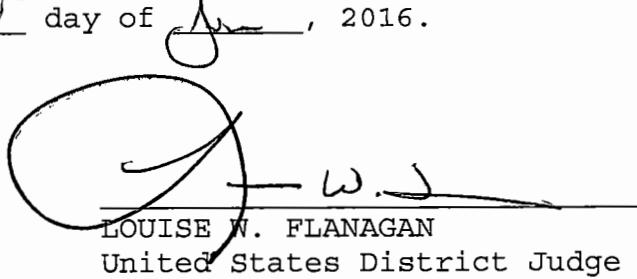
1. That based upon the Memorandum of Plea Agreement as to the defendant Brandon Cardez, the United States is hereby authorized to seize the above-stated personal property, and it is hereby forfeited

to the United States for disposition in accordance with the law, as allowed by Fed. R. Crim. P. 32.2(b)(3). In accordance with Fed. R. Crim. P. 32.2(b)(4)(A), this Order is now final as to the defendant.

2. That upon sentencing and issuance of the Judgment and Commitment Order, the Clerk of Court is directed to incorporate a reference to this Order of Forfeiture in the applicable section of the Judgment, as required by Fed. R. Crim. P. 32.2(b)(4)(B).

The Clerk is hereby directed to send copies of this Order to all counsel of record.

SO ORDERED. This 8 day of June, 2016.



LOUISE W. FLANAGAN  
United States District Judge